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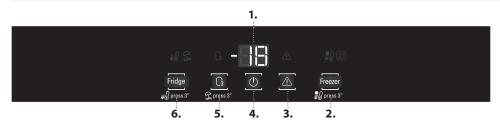
# PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

# FIRST TIME USE

Wait at least two hours, after the installation, before connecting the appliance to the power supply. Connect the appliance to the power supply it starts the operation automatically. The ideal storage temperatures for the food are preset in the factory.

After turning the appliance on, you must wait for 4-6 hours for the correct storage temperature to be reached for a normally filled appliance. Position the antibacterial anti-odour filter in the fan as demonstrated in the filter packaging (if available). If the audible signal sounds, it means that the temperature alarm has intervened: press the button to switch off the acoustic alarms.

## **CONTROL PANEL**



- **Temperature Display**
- Freezer temperature Fast freeze 2.
- 3. Turning off the sound alarm
- 4. On/stand-by
- Vacation (holiday mode) "Active Oxygen" 5.
- Refrigerator temperature Fast cool

# "ACTIVE OXYGEN" FUNCTION

Through the emission of a small quantity of ozone, this function enables a reduction in the proliferation of bacteria and microorganisms inside the refrigerator and limits bad odours.

To activate the Active Oxygen function, press the button on the control panel.

When the function is activated, a coloured light will appear on the device, according to the following cyclical features:

- Green light: ozone emission phase
- Blue light: antibacterial and anti-odour action phase (without ozone emission)

To deactivate the function, simply press the Quantum button on the control

Note: when the Active Oxygen function is activated, a faint odour might be perceived inside the refrigerator (the same odour that sometimes accompanies a thunder storm due to the zone produced by the lightning): it is absolutely normal.

Note: Disabling the function optimizes energy consumption. Keep the bottle rack grid in the upper parts of the comparison to optimize the function.

# FAN\*

The fan activates and deactivates automatically for a better temperature distribution and for humidity reduction in the fridge compartment.

**ON/STAND-BY** 

Press the button for 3 seconds to turn the appliance off. In Stand-by mode the light in the refrigerator compartment does not turn on. Press the button again briefly to reactivate the appliance.

Note: this does not disconnect the appliance from the power supply.

## **TEMPERATURE DISPLAY**

The display may alternately show the refrigerator compartment temperature (between 2°C and 8°C) or the temperature of the freezer compartment (between -16°C and -24°C).



# **VACATION (HOLIDAY MODE)**

⊈ press 3" You can use this function in the event of your prolonged absence. Press the good button for 3 seconds to turn the function on. The display will show the temperature of the refrigerator compartment (12°C) and the  $\subseteq$  icon will light up. After activating the function, remove the food from the refrigerator compartment and keep both doors closed - the refrigerator will maintain a suitable temperature to prevent odours from forming. The freezer, however, will stay turned on. To turn off the function press the 🚇 button for 3 seconds.

# REFRIGERATOR COMPARTMENT TEMPERATURE

It is possible to set a different temperature with the "Fridge" button.



# Fridge FAST COOL

quantity of fresh food in the refrigerator compartment. When the function is turned on, the  $= \emptyset$  icon will be displayed. The function turns off automatically after 6 hours, or manually by pressing the "Fridge" button for 3 seconds.



# TURNING OFF THE SOUND ALARM

To turn off the sound alarm, briefly press the <u>M</u> button.

#### FREEZER COMPARTMENT TEMPERATURE

It is possible to set a different temperature with the "Freezer" button.



# **FAST FREEZE**

Press the "Freezer" button for 3 seconds 24 hours before putting large quantities of food to freeze in the freezer compartment. When the function is turned on the icon lights up 🖫 🖟 . The function turns off automatically after 48 hours, or manually by pressing the "Freezer" button again for 3 seconds.

Note: avoid a direct contact between the fresh food and the food that is already frozen. To optimise the freezing speed, drawers can be removed and the food can be placed directly on the bottom of the compartment.



<sup>\*</sup> Available only on certain models

#### **FOOD CARE ZONE\***

The drawer is specifically designed to maintain a low temperature to preserve fresh food for longer time (for example, fresh pasta, sour cream, pesto/salsa,homemade preparation,pastry cream, pudding,cream cheese, cold cuts, desserts, meat and fish).

The internal temperature of the drawer is between +3 °C and -2 °C. For the correct functioning of the drawer, it is necessary that Vacation mode option is not selected.

# **"0° ZONE" COMPARTMENT\***

The "**0° ZONE**" compartment is specifically designed to maintain a low temperature and the correct humidity to preserve fresh food for longer (for example, meat, fish, fruits and winter vegetables).

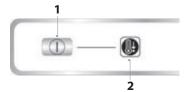
Humidity control technology coupled with Active0 provides the best food preservation when the food is not completely packed.



## TURNING ON AND TURNING OFF THE COMPARTMENT

The internal temperature of the compartment is approximately 0° when the compartment is turned on.

To turn on the compartment, press the button (1) for more than one second until the symbol (2) lights up. The lit symbol (2) means that the compartment is working. Press the button (1) again for more than one second to turn off the compartment. The temperature inside depends on the general temperature of the refrigerator.



For the correct functioning of the "**0° ZONE**" compartment, it is necessary that:

- the appliance is turned on;
- the fridge temperature is between +2°C and +6°C;
- the "0" ZONE" compartment is turned on
- Vacation Mode and Stand by are not selected

#### Note

- if the symbol does not light up when you turn on the compartment, check that the drawer is properly inserted; if the problem persists contact the authorised Technical Assistance Service:
- when the "0° ZONE" compartment is inserted in the appliance you may hear a faint noise, which you should consider as normal;

**Important**: be careful when positioning food and containers that are small in size on the upper shelf of the "**0° ZONE**" compartment in order to prevent them accidentally falling between the shelf and the back wall of the refrigerator compartment.

#### **REMOVING THE "0" ZONE" COMPARTMENT**

Carry out the following steps:

- To make it easier to remove the compartment, we recommend that you empty (and possibly remove) the lower door shelves.
- **2.** Remove the compartment by rotating it upwards.
- **3.** Remove the white plastic shelf under the compartment.

Note: it is not possible to remove the upper shelf and side supports.

To use the **"0° ZONE"** compartment again, carefully reposition the white plastic shelf under the compartment before inserting the drawer and turning the function back on.

To have a larger refrigerator volume and to reduce energy consumption, it is recommended to remove the "0° **ZONE**" compartment.

Clean the compartment and its components occasionally using a cloth and a solution of warm water (taking care not to submerge the white plastic shelf under the drawer) and neutral cleaning agents specifically for cleaning the inside of the refrigerator. Do not use abrasive cleaning agents.

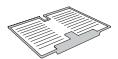
Before cleaning the compartment (also externally) it is necessary to remove the drawer to disconnect the electrical supply.

## STOP FROST SYSTEM\*

The STOP FROST SYSTEM facilitates the defrost procedure for the freezer compartment.

The STOP FROST accessory is designed to collect some of the frost that forms in the freezer compartment and it is easy to remove and clean, therefore reducing the time needed to defrost the freezer compartment.

To remove the frost on the STOP FROST accessory follow the cleaning procedure demonstrated below.



## PROCEDURE TO CLEAN THE STOP FROST ACCESSORY

 Open the freezer compartment door and remove the upper drawer.



Unfasten the STOP FROST accessory and remove it, taking care not to drop it on the glass shelf below.

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Note: if the accessory is jammed or difficult to remove, do not keep trying to remove it, but proceed with the complete defrost of the freezer compartment.



3. Close the door of the freezer compartment.



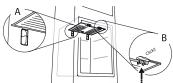
Remove the frost on the accessory by rinsing it under running (not hot) water.



5. Let the accessory drip dry and dry the plastic parts with a soft cloth.



Reinsert the accessory by placing the back part on the projections shown in figure, then refasten the handle of the accessory to the clasps above.

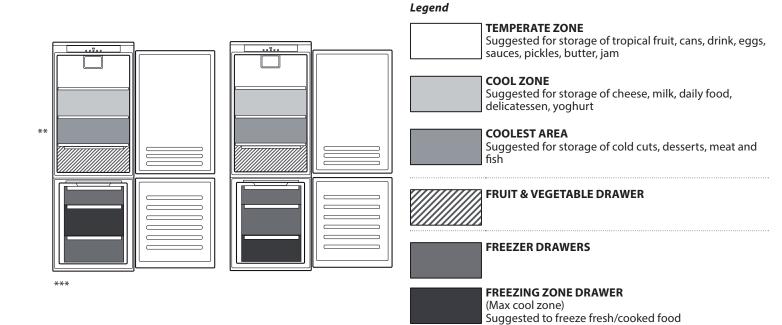


Reinsert the upper drawer and close the door of the freezer

It is possible to clean the STOP FROST accessory on its own without completely defrosting the freezer compartment. Cleaning the STOP FROST accessory regularly helps to reduce the need to completely defrost the freezer compartment.

Note: the product specifications, including volume and energy, are calculated without the STOP FROST accessory.

## **HOW TO STORE FOOD AND BEVERAGE**



<sup>\*\*</sup> For models with "0 ° ZONE" COMPARTMENT the "coolest area" is the one highlighted in the legend
\*\*\* Only for CB310 e CB380 models (refer to the Rating plate located at side

# **TROUBLESHOOTING**

What to do if	Possible reasons	Solutions
The control panel is switched off, the appliance does not work.	The appliance may be in On/Stand-by mode. There may be an appliance power supply problem.	<ul> <li>Turn the appliance on pressing the On/Stand-by button. Check that:</li> <li>there is not a power outage;</li> <li>the plug is properly inserted in the power socket and the mains double-pole switch (if present) is in the correct position (i.e. allows the appliance to be powered);</li> <li>the household electrical system protection devices are efficient;</li> <li>the power cable is not damaged.</li> </ul>
The inside light does not work.	The light may need to be replace.	Models with LED lights: contact the authorised Technical Assistance Service.
	The appliance may be in On/Stand-by mode.	Turn the appliance on pressing the On/Stand-by button.

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of Fruit and vegetable drawer)

What to do if	Possible reasons	Solutions
The temperature inside the compartments is not low enough.	There could be various causes (see "Solutions").	<ul> <li>Check that:</li> <li>the doors close properly;</li> <li>the appliance is not installed near a heat source;</li> <li>the set temperature is adequate;</li> <li>the circulation of air through the ventilation of the appliance is ensured.</li> </ul>
There is water on the bottom of the refrigerator compartment.	The defrost water drain is blocked.	Clean the defrosting water drain (see section "Cleaning and Maintenance").
The front edge of the appliance, at the door striker seal, is hot.	This is not a defect. It prevents condensation from forming.	No solution is necessary.
The red a icon is flashing and a sound signal is activated	<b>Door open alarm</b> It is activated when the refrigerator and/ or freezer compartments door remains open for a prolonged period of time.	To turn the sound signal off, close the open door of the product.
The red icon is flashing, a sound signal is activated and the spicon is activated.	Blackout alarm This activates when there is a prolonged interruption to the power supply which has caused an increase in temperature in the freezer compartment.  Note: until the blackout alarm is deactivated, you cannot set a different temperature for the product.	Before turning off the sound signal, it is recommended that you pay attention to the temperature shown on the temperature display, corresponding to the highest temperature reached in the freezer compartment during the power cut. To turn the sound signal off, briefly press the "Turn off sound alarm" button.  After pressing the button, the temperature display will again show the temperature set. If the freezer compartment has not yet reached the optimal temperature for the preservation of the food, the freezer compartment temperature alarm may activate (see freezer compartment temperature alarm). Check the condition of the food before consuming it.
The red icon is lit up (without flashing), a sound signal is activated and the freezer temperature display is flashing.	Freezer compartment temperature alarm The freezer compartment temperature alarm indicates that the compartment is not at the optimum temperature. This may occur: when using for the first time, after defrosting and/ or cleaning, when freezing large quantities of food or when the door to the freezer does not close completely.	To turn off the sound signal, briefly press the "Turn off sound alarm" button (the temperature display will stop flashing). When the optimum temperature conditions have been reached, the red icon will automatically turn off. If the freezer compartment temperature alarm continues, contact the Authorised Technical Assistance Service.
The red icon will light up, a sound signal is activated and the letter "F" is flashing on the display.	Malfunction alarm The alarm indicates the malfunction of a technical component.	Call the authorized Technical Assistance Service. To turn the sound signal off, briefly press the "Turn off sound alarm" button.

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- Visiting our website **docs.hotpoint.eu**
- Using QR Code
- Alternatively, contact our After-sales Service (See phone number in the warranty booklet). When contacting our After-sales Service, please state the codes provided on your product's identification plate.





